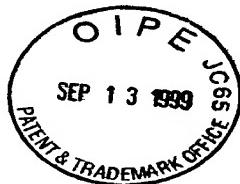
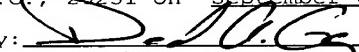


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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- Petition for a four-month Extension of Time is enclosed.
- An Appointment of Associate Attorney is enclosed.
- No additional claims fee is required.
- An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	NUMBER AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENTED	RATE		FEE	
						SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	49	-	79	-	0	x \$9	\$18	= \$0	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	13	-	24	-	0	x \$39	\$78	= \$0	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			YES		X NO	\$130	\$260	= \$0	\$
						TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE		\$0	\$

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- A check in the amount of \$680.00 is enclosed, \$680.00 of which covers the fee for a small entity four-month extension of time.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-0370. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 03-0370 any fees under 37 CFR 1.17 which may be required under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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